IN THE U. S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Bruno Balay et al. Conf. 5568

Application No. 10/566,180 Group 3738

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Title: ACETABULAR IMPLANT AND METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF

SAID IMPLANT

AMENDMENT

MS Amendment Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 April 26, 2010

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of December 24, 2009, the period for response having been extended by <u>one</u> month, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.